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*VIA CERTIFIED MAIL #7160 3901 9846 4373 6292 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED* 

Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina P. O. Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Re:

Docket No. 2011-304-C- In The Matter Of BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC dba AT&T Southeast dba A&&T South Carolina v. Halo Wireless, Inc. - Complaint and Petition for Relief

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed please find the original and ten (10) copies of Halo Wireless, Inc.'s Suggestion of Bankruptcy, Notice of Stay, and Notice of Extensions Under 11 U.S.C. § 108.

Sincerely,

McGuire, Craddock & Strother, P.C.

Troy P. Majoue

TPM/vwk Enclosures

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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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FOR RELIEF OF BELLSOUTH	§	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC d/b/a	§	
AT&T SOUTHEAST d/b/a AT&T	§	DOCKET NO. 2011-304-C
SOUTH CAROLINA v. HALO	§	
WIRELESS, INCORPORATED FOR	§	
BREACH OF THE PARTIES'	§	
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT	§	
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### SUGGESTION OF BANKRUPTCY, NOTICE OF STAY, AND NOTICE OF EXTENSIONS UNDER 11 U.S.C. §108

Plaintiff Halo Wireless, Inc. ("Halo") hereby files its Suggestion of Bankruptcy.

- 1. On August 8, 2011, Halo filed a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Texas (Sherman Division). A copy of the Petition for Relief is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code, the filing of the Petition operates as a stay of:
  - a. The commencement or continuation, including the issuance or employment of process, of a judicial, administrative, or other proceeding against the Debtor that was or could have been commenced before the commencement of the case under this Title, or to recover a claim against the Debtor that arose before the commencement of the case under this Title;
  - b. The enforcement, against the Debtor or against property of the estate, of a judgment obtained before the commencement of the case under this Title:

- c. Any act to obtain possession of property of the estate or property from the estate;
- d. Any act to create, perfect, or enforce any lien against property of the estate;
- e. Any act to create, perfect, or enforce against property of the Debtor any lien to the extent that such lien secures a claim that arose before the commencement of the case under this Title, except to the extent provided in section 362(b);
- f. Any act to collect assets, or recover a claim against the Debtor that arose before the commencement of the case under this title;
- g. The set off of any debt owing to the Debtor that arose before the commencement of the case under this Title against any claim against the Debtor; and
- h. The commencement or continuation of a proceeding before the United States Tax Court concerning the Debtor.
- 3. Accordingly, pursuant to the provisions of 11 U.S.C. §362, the automatic stay prohibits any further action against the Debtor in this proceeding until such time as the Bankruptcy Court may order otherwise.
- 4. In addition, pursuant to Section 108 of the Bankruptcy Code, the filing of the Petition operates to extend the period within which the Debtor may, among other things, file any pleading, commence an action, cure a default, or perform any other similar act fixed by non-bankruptcy law, an order entered in a non-bankruptcy proceeding, or an agreement, if such deadline has not expired prior to the filing of the Petition.

Dated this 19th day of August, 2011.

### Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing SUGGESTION OF BANKRUPTCY, NOTICE OF STAY AND NOTICE OF EXTENSIONS UNDER 11 U.S.C §108 has been served on the following by directing same to the office address listed below through certified mail, return receipt requested, on this the 19th day of August, 2011:

### **COUNSEL FOR COMPLAINANT:**

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### Exhibit A

B1 (Official Form 1) (4/10) UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT Eastern District of Texas Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle): Halo Wireless, Inc. All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 8 years All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 8 years (include married, maiden, and trade names): (include married, maiden, and trade names): Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN Last four digits of Soc. Sec. or Individual-Taxpayer I.D. (ITIN)/Complete EIN (if more than one, state all): (if more than one, state all): Street Address of Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. and Street, City, and State): 2351 West Northwest Highway, Suite 1204 Dallas, TX ZIP CODE 75220 ZIP CODE County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address): Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address): ZIP CODE ZIP CODE Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor (if different from street address above): 1701 Commerce Street, Tyler, TX 75702 ZIP CODE Type of Debtor Chapter of Bankruptcy Code Under Which Nature of Business (Form of Organization) (Check one box.) the Petition is Filed (Check one box.) (Check one box.) Health Care Business Chapter 7 Chapter 15 Petition for Single Asset Real Estate as defined in Recognition of a Foreign Chapter 9 ☐ Individual (includes Joint Debtors) V See Exhibit D on page 2 of this form. 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B) Chapter 11 Main Proceeding Corporation (includes LLC and LLP) Chapter 12 Chapter 15 Petition for Railroad Partnership Stockbroker Chapter 13 Recognition of a Foreign  $\bar{\Box}$ Commodity Broker Nonmain Proceeding Other (If debtor is not one of the above entities, check this box and state type of entity below.) Clearing Bank Other Nature of Debts (Check one box.) Tax-Exempt Entity (Check box, if applicable.) ☐ Debts are primarily consumer ✓ Debts are primarily debts, defined in 11 U.S.C. business debts. § 101(8) as "incurred by an Debtor is a tax-exempt organization under Title 26 of the United States individual primarily for a personal, family, or house-Code (the Internal Revenue Code). hold purpose." Chapter 11 Debtors Filing Fee (Check one box.) Check one hox: Debtor is a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Full Filing Fee attached. Debtor is not a small business debtor as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D). Filing Fee to be paid in installments (applicable to individuals only). Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is Debtor's aggregate noncontingent liquidated debts (excluding debts owed to unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form 3A. insiders or affiliates) are less than \$2,343,300 (amount subject to adjustment Filing Fee waiver requested (applicable to chapter 7 individuals only). Must on 4/01/13 and every three years thereafter). attach signed application for the court's consideration. See Official Form 3B. Check all applicable boxes: A plan is being filed with this petition. Acceptances of the plan were solicited prepetition from one or more classes of creditors, in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1126(b). Statistical/Administrative Information THIS SPACE IS FOR COURT USE ONLY Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors. Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors. **Estimated Number of Creditors** ✓ 1-49 50-99 100-199 200-999 1.000-5.001-10.001-25.001-50.001-Over 25,000 10,000 5,000 100,000 100,000 50,000 Estimated Assets ☑ \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 \$50,000,001 \$0 to \$500,001 \$100,000,001 \$500,000,001 More than \$50,000 \$100,000 \$500,000 to \$1 to \$10 to \$50 to \$100 to \$500 to \$1 billion \$1 billion million million million million million Estimated Liabilities П \$50,001 to \$100,001 to \$50,000,001 \$100,000,001 \$500,000,001 \$0 to \$500,001 \$1,000,001 \$10,000,001 More than \$50,000 \$100,000 \$500,000 to \$1 to \$10 to \$100 to \$50 to \$500 to \$1 billion \$1 billion

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preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.					
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Debtor claims that under applicable nonbankruptcy law, there are circumstances under which the debtor would be permitted to cure the					
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i n	Debtor certifies that he/she has served the Landlord with this certification. (11 U.S.C. § 362(l)).				

Date

If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets

A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment

conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.

or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.

# Open New Bankruptcy Case (External)

### **United States Bankruptcy Court**

### **Eastern District of Texas**

### Notice of Bankruptcy Case Filing

The following transaction was received from E. P. Keiffer entered on 8/8/2011 at 2:09 PM CDT and filed on 8/8/2011

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Halo Wireless, Inc.

Case Number:

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#### **Docket Text:**

Chapter 11 Voluntary Petition. Without Schedules, Statements and Other Required Documents. Filed by Halo Wireless, Inc. Document Due 08/15/2011. (Keiffer, E.)

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### 11-42464 Notice will be electronically mailed to:

E. P. Keiffer on behalf of Debtor Halo Wireless, Inc. pkeiffer@wgblawfirm.com

US Trustee USTPRegion06.TY.ECF@USDOJ.GOV

### 11-42464 Notice will not be electronically mailed to: